

## Message Text

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ACTION SS-15

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FM AMEMBASSY BONN  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 4660

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FOR UNDERSECRETARY CASEY FROM AMBASSADOR HILLENBRAND

E. O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: EFIN, GW  
SUBJECT: US- FRG OFFSET

REF STATE 076869

1. AMBASSADOR HERMES WILL BE ACCOMPANYING MINISTER SCHEEL  
TO WASHINGTON DURING BRANDT VISIT AND PLANS TO BE IN WASHINGTON  
MAY 1 THROUGH 3. HIS SCHEDULE IN BONN MAKES IT DIFFICULT TO  
EXTEND HIS WASHINGTON STAY BEYOND MAY 3 AND HE HOPES AN  
APPOINTMENT  
WITH YOU CAN BE ARRANGED ON THE 1 ST, 2 ND, OR 3 RD FOR  
PRELIMINARY  
OFFSET DISCUSSIONS. HE WILL NOT BE ACCCOMPANIED BY ANY  
EXPERTS IN OFFSET FIELD.

2. AMBASSADOR HERMES SUGGESTS EXACT TIME OF MEETING BE ARRANGED  
WITH MINISTER MATTHIAS OF GERMAN EMBASSY WHO WILL BE IN CONTROL  
OF HERMES SCHEDULE. HILLENBRAND

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\*\*\* Current Handling Restrictions \*\*\* n/a

\*\*\* Current Classification \*\*\* CONFIDENTIAL

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